104TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 336

To provide for the establishment of a new medical facility for veterans in south Texas.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 4, 1995

Mr. Ortiz (for himself, Mr. de la Garza, and Mr. Tejeda) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

A BILL

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1	Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
2	tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
3	SECTION 1. NEW VETERANS' ADMINISTRATION MEDICAL
4	FACILITY IN SOUTH TEXAS.
5	(a) PROJECT AUTHORIZATION.—The Secretary of
6	Veterans Affairs is authorized—
7	(1) to acquire a site in south Texas suitable for
8	a medical facility; and
9	(2) to construct a medical facility on such site.

- 1 (b) Funding.—There are authorized to be appro-
- 2 priated such sums as may be necessary for the purposes
- 3 of subsection (a), but the amount appropriated for the
- 4 construction of the medical facility may not exceed the
- 5 product of (1) the number of beds to be included in the
- 6 facility, and (2) \$290,000.
- 7 (c) Definition.—For purposes of this section, the
- 8 term "medical facility" has the meaning given the term
- 9 in section 5001(3) of title 38, United States Code.

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